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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Martin Zimmerling, Claude Jolly

Group No.: 3763

Application No.: 10/726,066

Examiner: Williams, C.S.

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For: Fluid Switch Controlled Trans-cutaneously Via a Magnetic Force

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	21	– 33	= 0	x	\$ 25.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP.	3	– 3	= 0	x	\$ 100.00	= \$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+	\$ 0.00	= \$	0.00
TOTAL						ADDIT. FEE	
						\$	0.00


No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

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